## **BEFORE**

## THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NOS. 96-41-C & 97-56-C - ORDER NO. 2002-741

OCTOBER 22, 2002

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IN RE:	Docket No. 96-41-C – Application of Easton	)	ORDER	
	Telecom Services, Inc. for a Certificate of Public	)	CANCELLING	
1	Convenience and Necessity to Provide	)	CERTIFICATE	
	Interexchange Telecommunications Services	)		
	within the State of South Carolina.	)		
		)		
	AND	)		
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	Docket No. 97-56-C – Application of Easton	)		
	Telecom Services, Inc. for a Certificate of Public	)		
	Convenience and Necessity to Provide	)		
	Competitive Local Exchange Telecommunications	)		
	Services within the State of South Carolina.	)		

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of Easton Telecom Services, LLC for cancellation of the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Easton Telecom Services, Inc., once the Commission's Order granting Easton Telecom Services, LLC, f/k/a Weston Telecommunications, LLC's Applications is issued in Docket Nos. 2002-22-C and 2002-189-C. Easton Telecom Services, Inc. was granted a certificate in Docket No. 96-41-C to provide interexchange services. This was modified in Docket No. 97-56-C to allow the Company to provide both interexchange and local exchange services.

We would note that our Order No. 2002-690 was issued on September 27, 2002, which approved the Applications of Easton Telecom Services, LLC, f/k/a Weston

Telecommunications, LLC. Accordingly, we hereby cancel the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity and withdraw the tariffs of Easton Telecom Services, Inc., as was requested.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Mignon L. Clyburn Chairman

ATTEST:

Gary E. Walsh Executive Director

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